

Patent Application Serial No. 08/716,223

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Group Art Unit 1761

In re Application of

G.A. VAN SCHOUWENBURG METHOD FOR PREPARING A

COHERENT PIECE OF MEAT

Serial No. 08/716,223 FROM SMALLER PIECES OF

MEAT, AND THE COHERENT

PIECE OF MEAT OBTAINED Filed November 22, 1996

Examiner - C. Sherrer Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

October 27, 1999

AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 27, 1999, Applicant submits the accompanying Petition for Extension of Time and the following amendments and remarks.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

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